



Packet No. 43521-0500

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Kenji Yoneda

Serial No.: 10/616,626

Filed: July 10, 2003

For: ILLUMINATING UNIT

Group Art Unit: 3739

December 11, 2003

Irvine, California 92614

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In an attempt to fully comply with the duty of disclosure set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in conformance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, applicant wishes to bring to the attention of the U.S. Patent Office the following reference:


U.S. Patent No. 6,595,674

Form PTO-A820 is attached.

If the Examiner believes that a telephone conference would help further the prosecution of this case, he is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned attorney at the listed telephone number.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patent, PO Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on December 11, 2003

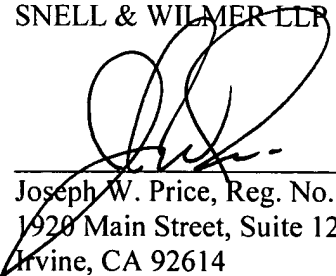
by: James Lee


Signature

Date of Signature: December 11, 2003

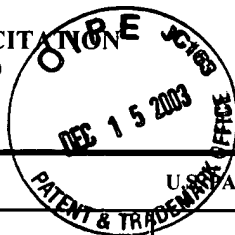
Very truly yours,

SNELL & WILMER LLP


Joseph W. Price, Reg. No. 25,124
1920 Main Street, Suite 1200
Irvine, CA 92614
949/253-4920

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE CITATION

(Use several sheets if necessary)



Docket Number (Optional)

43521-0500

Application Number

10/616,626

Applicant(s)

Kenji Yoneda

Filing Date

07/10/2003

Group Art Unit

3739

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

*EXAMINER INITIAL	REF	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
		6,595,674	7/22/2003	Yoneda			

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

	REF	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	Translation	
							YES	NO

OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

EXAMINER

DATE CONSIDERED

EXAMINER: Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP Section 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.